

Page 7, second full paragraph is amended as follows:

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In a step S301, the printer 2 receives the image data stored in the hard disc of the server computer 1 through the communication means in accordance with instructions given by the user to the input device 3 or the printer 2. In case that the input device 3 is, for example, a digital camera, when the user instructs on execution of printing of a desired image through an instructing section provided for the digital camera, the instruction of the print execution is transmitted to the server computer 1, so that the server computer 1 transmits the image data stored in the hard disc 11 to the printer 2.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please enter the following amended claims:

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1. (Once Amended) An image data printing system comprising:

an image data memory device for storing image data therein;

a print device including:

a first memory section obtaining and storing the image data stored in said image data memory device therein;

print data making means for converting the image data stored in said first memory section into print data every time execution of print is instructed;

a print section capable of printing an image according to said print data;

a second memory section storing the image data stored in said first memory section after the print section has completed printing; and

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A3 ~~Sub B1~~ → a communication device including communication sections for transmitting and receiving the image data which are provided respectively for said image data memory device and said print device, and communication passages for connecting said communication sections to each other.

Please add the following new claims:

Sub B1 →
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~~6. (New) An image data printing system comprising:~~

an image data memory device for storing image data therein;

a print device including:

a first memory section obtaining and storing the image data stored in said image data

memory device therein;

an image data converter for converting the image data stored in said first memory section into print data every time execution of print is instructed;

a print section capable of printing an image according to said print data;

a second memory section storing the image data stored in said first memory section after the print section has completed printing; and

a communication device including communication sections for transmitting and receiving the image data which are provided respectively for said image data memory device and said print device, and communication passages for connecting said communication sections to each other.

~~7. (New) A print device comprising:~~

~~a first memory section capable of storing image data stored in an external image data memory device;~~

~~an image data converter for converting the image data stored in said first memory section into print data every time execution of print is instructed;~~

~~a print section capable of printing an image according to said print data; and~~

~~a second memory section storing the image data stored in said first memory section after the print section has completed printing.~~

8. (New) The image data printing system of claim 1, wherein the second memory section comprises a disc drive device.

9. (New) The image data printing system of claim 1, wherein the communication passages comprise a wire transmission system.

10. (New) The image data printing system of claim 1, wherein the communication passages comprise a wireless transmission system.

11. (New) The image data printing method of claim 3, further comprising providing delete preventing data to the image data in the second memory section.

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~~12. (New) The print device of claim 5, wherein the second memory section comprises a~~
disc drive device.
